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W. R. SELICK & CO., DRY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES.

## The "GLORIOUS FOURTH."

In order properly to celebrate the day all should make preparations this week. We herewith submit a few articles that are essential.

### Light Wash Goods.

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We are showing a large line of Clothing, Hats, White and Outing Shirts, Neckwear, and Shoes.

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A new lot just received, including those with valance in full colorings.

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## SPECIAL SALE

OF

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Saturday, June 18.

AT THAT TIME PICTURES  
WILL BE PLACED ON SALE  
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THIS WILL BE A RARE CHANCE  
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isn't that a lovely stove!" exclaimed a lady in our store a short time ago, as she paused in front of one of the Michigan Stove Co's latest pattern cook stoves, and proceeded to critically inspect the same. The examination was satisfactory in every particular. It always is. You make no mistake in buying the kind we handle. It's the poor kind you "burn your fingers" with.

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How about that? Have you one? Not many moons hence ere the kitchen will be sizzling with summer heat, and you will appreciate doubly a latest improved "Quick Meal" Gasoline Stove. We have them now. They sell wonderfully easy; may be gone soon, remember.

We keep Gas Pipe, Steam Fittings for Engines, and all goods in that line.

Fred Bilsborrow.

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### BUSINESS NOTICES.

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Attorneys and Solicitors. Do a general law business. Paw Paw, Mich. 178

**W. J. Johnson, V. D., V. S.**  
All diseases of domesticated animals treated on the latest principles of Veterinary Science. Surgical Operations a Specialty. Calls promptly attended to day or night. Charges moderate. Office at Wolverine Pharmacy, Paw Paw, Mich. 181-ly.

**Millinery—Mrs. H. R. Odell.**  
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Dental Parlors.  
Painless extraction of teeth by the use of Nitrous Oxide Gas. Single extraction, twenty-five cents. Special attention given to the preservation of the natural teeth. Satisfaction guaranteed. Rooms over Savings Bank, Paw Paw, Mich. 1906ly

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Insure your property against loss by fire in the reliable companies represented by the undersigned. Losses will be promptly and equitably adjusted. Life, Fire and Accident policies issued. Office over Broughton's store. 1873-ly. WM. KILLEFER.

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Broker. Money loaned. Office opposite the Dyckman House, Paw Paw, Mich. 1888ly

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Orders for private houses should be left at the Post Office. We never miss the train. G. E. BUTLER, Prop. 52tf.

The greatest worm destroyer on earth is Dullam's Great German Worm Lozenges, only 25 cents per box. For sale by Longwell Bros.

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Forty acres of good land for sale at a reasonable price and easy terms. Inquire of F. W. Selick, Paw Paw Savings Bank. 21tf

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We are giving 38 lbs. of our best flour per bushel for good wheat, notwithstanding the reports to the contrary. 1873-ly. WISE & TUCKEY.

**Teachers' Examinations**  
The following is the schedule of dates for examinations during the school year: Paw Paw, Thursday, Aug. 4. All examinations begin at 8:30 a. m., and you must be on time. 1903-ly. E. H. HINCKLEY, Co. Com.

**For Sale or Rent.**  
A seven-room house in first-class order, neat and good. Inquire of Wm. Killefer, or the owner, Rev. G. P. Linderman. 35tf

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Paper Hanging, painting, decorating, &c. I am back to Paw Paw again for business, and my friends know what that means. Leave orders at Dyckman House. 38tf

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A general banking business transacted.  
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**MILLS, OSBORN & CAVANAUGH,**  
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Office over Savings Bank, Paw Paw, Mich. Money to loan on real estate. 27

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Attorney and counselor. Collections made. Office over Abstract Office, Paw Paw, Mich. 1885

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Rooms in Longwell block. Satisfaction guaranteed. Repairing done. 41tf

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**Music Lessons.**  
On piano and organ, at reasonable rates by [456050] Miss KITTIE FITCH.

### Local Department.

Seth Allen of Kalamazoo was in town over Sunday.

Isaac Robertson of Bloomingdale was in town Monday.

Hon. A. B. Copley of Decatur was on our streets Monday.

Miss Franc Grannis is visiting relatives at Berrien Springs.

Mrs. E. A. Wilson is the newly elected president of the Coterie.

Wm. K. Van Hise of Decatur was in town Tuesday on business.

Advised letters: Mrs. Lizzie Ackerson, Miss O. D. Chandler.

C. A. Sherrod left yesterday for a business trip to South Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Heckert are again taking their meals at Mrs. Parker's.

Mrs. Porter A. Dean has gone to Indiana for a month's visit with relatives.

Fred Snow of Lima, Ohio, made a brief visit to friends in this place last week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cross and daughter Rena arrived from England yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Rowland arrived from Decatur last Friday, remaining until Monday.

Horace Olney of Hartford shed the light of his countenance over our sanctum yesterday.

H. C. Freese of Sioux Falls, South Dakota, is visiting Chas. Rohde, his former partner here.

The aged mother of R. M. Buck suffered a partial stroke of paralysis last Saturday morning.

Snow Brothers yesterday shipped one of their famous hot-air furnaces to Mr. M. N. Dilley of Lacota.

Republican County Convention at Lawrence on Thursday, July 14. See call in another column.

A. B. Chase of Bangor, accompanied by his daughter Hattie, came over Monday on a business trip.

The services of Rev. A. H. Bailey have been secured by the First Baptist society for another year.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Wood of Ionia arrived yesterday and are stopping with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Stevens.

The strawberry season is being greatly shortened by the wet weather, as berries are rotting on the vines.

C. S. Maynard, wife and daughter of Logansport, Ind., are visiting at his father-in-law's, Dr. C. M. Odell.

By order of the president, the regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. is postponed until the first of September.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Clancy are the proud parents of a bouncing boy, born last Saturday morning; weight, 8 1/2 lbs.

Rev. Edward Warren, the Presbyterian pastor, is boarding at Mrs. Parker's pending arrangements for house-keeping.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Sage arrived in time to attend the graduating exercises of the high school and the alumni banquet.

Hon. Geo. S. Baker and family came yesterday from their home at Evanston to spend the summer with Mrs. Dr. Andrews.

Hon. A. N. Woodruff, chairman of the Berrien county (Republican) committee, was in this place Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Rua Curtiss of Buchanan came up to enjoy the festivities of Commencement week, and was the guest of Miss Lena Snow.

Some of our Masons are going to South Haven to-day to attend the dedicatory exercises of the new Masonic Hall there.

F. R. Bassett leaves for Chicago Monday where he goes to assist his brother for a time in the McIntosh Battery and Optical Company.

Mrs. May Long has broken the record for swift berry-picking, having last Friday culled 110 quarts from D. D. Crofoot's patch in 7 hours.

Miss Maggie Bryar returned from Grand Rapids on Friday in time for the alumni banquet, but Miss Mary did not reach home until Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Hunt is enjoying a visit with her daughter, Jennie E. Schnell, and her children from Apalachicola, Tioga county, N. Y.

The Aid Society of the First Baptist church will meet with Mrs. F. F. Clark Friday afternoon from 1:30 to 5. The ladies will come prepared to sew.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davey of Elkhart are expected the latter part of the week and "grandpa" Davey can scarcely await the arrival of little Joe.

At midnight on Sunday last a tiny stranger demanded admittance to the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Goodale, and now little Ralph has a sister.

Lucian H. Carlisle is studying law in the office of Geo. P. Hopkins at Kalamazoo, and came over to participate in our alumni banquet, returning next day.

Miss Gertrude Smith of Lawton, who has just completed her studies at St. Clair, was the guest of her sister Dora at Mrs. Dan Spicer's a part of last week.

Mrs. J. W. Free went to Ann Arbor Monday to join her son Lynn, who has just concluded a post-graduate course and will this week receive the degree of LL. B.

Miss Cora Sutton and her niece, Miss Effie Cornwell, came over from Lawrence to attend our graduating exercises and were guests of Mrs. L. W. Osborne.

We are indebted to J. V. Stevens for two boxes of luscious strawberries, also to D. D. Crofoot for a sample of his fine fruit. Who would not be an editor in sunny June?

Our Denver letter, appearing in supplement to this issue, contains information that will be of especial interest to those who are planning a trip to Colorado next August.

Miss Elva Packer of Hartford, a recent graduate of the short-hand department at Ann Arbor, is a member of the family of L. H. Titus and will assist him in the office for a time.

Mrs. Mary Sanders of Mine LaMotte, Mo., has been enjoying a visit with her old school friend, Mrs. H. S. Williams at Aberdeen, South Dakota, and will visit Paw Paw later in the season.

Mrs. Hattie Colman of Chicago, who sang so sweetly at the Thursday and Friday evening exercises, is a niece of Mr. C. L. Eaton and spent the two days of her stay here at the home of the latter.

A winsome lassie of three years whose mother is dead, has found a safe and happy shelter in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Heckert, and now the Judge is putting on a very paternal cast of countenance.

The newly elected officers of our Alumni Association are as follows: President, David Dillon; 1st vice-president, Lois Wilson; 2d vice-president, Gertrude Buck; sec'y, Belle Gremps; treasurer, Lena Wise.

On Tuesday morning, June 28, Mrs. Elizabeth Hall, wife of Calvin Hall, laid down life's burdens after bearing them for three score and seven years. Her death was the result of pneumonia and the funeral will be held on Thursday.

Misses Belle and Mattie Tanner were among the class of '92 at our State Normal, and the former with her mother has been spending several days with her friends here. We understand that Miss Mattie and her father are coming later.

A little babe born last week to Mr. and Mrs. Levi Libby closed its short span of life in three days, and two days afterward the mother followed her little one to "that bourne whence no traveler e'er returns." The funeral was from the house Thursday forenoon.

Miss Cora Ruggles returned to Hartford yesterday after several days spent among her many friends here. She says she enjoys life at Duluth, and no "forlorn looks" now give any hint of her recent illness. She expects to return to her Northern field of labor in August.

Miss Gertrude Snow will be here during the summer for a term of ten weeks. Those wishing to make arrangements for lessons on piano or organ may leave word at this office. The term will open soon after the Fourth and close in September with a public recital.

Mrs. L. S. Rector, formerly Miss Dolie Boynton, last Tuesday came from her home in Roseland, Chicago, to the home of her aunt, Mrs. Dr. Dunning, in search of rest and strength, having recently been ill. We are glad to report that she is rapidly convalescing. Her husband came with her, but was obliged to return next day.

The first pole-raising of the campaign was celebrated at the residence of Hon. C. L. Eaton last Saturday, and from the top of a pole 60 feet high a streamer now floats to the breeze, bearing the names of those who will guide our ship of state through another four years' cruise. It is unnecessary to add that they are Harrison and Reid.

The Kalamazoo training school made a pleasing variation from the hackneyed subjects of graduating essays in taking the World's Fair as the theme for discussion by its fair girl graduates, woman's work, dedicatory exercises, and educational value of the great exposition. The result is said to have been highly entertaining.

Dr. Frank Rice, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rice, on June 21 had the title of M. D. conferred upon him by the Faculty of the Medical Department of the Central University of Kentucky. He will now take a needed vacation, going first to St. Louis and Mine La Motte, Mo., for a visit with his sisters Jo and Mary, later coming with them to Paw Paw for a family reunion at the old home south of town.

A very sudden death occurred near the Lee school house last Thursday. Nathan Baker, a resident of that vicinity for more than three score years, while living some bees was stung three times, once near the temple, and three hours thereafter was a corpse. Mr. Baker was subject to heart trouble, and it is supposed that the shock induced heart failure. The funeral was held on Sunday, June 26th, and the remains buried in the Wilsey cemetery.

Broadhead Post No. 31 G. A. R. will give a public reception to Department Commander H. S. Dean and staff at Longwell's opera house on Thursday evening, July 7th. Addresses will be made by Colonel Dean, Past Post Commander Heckert, Asst Adj't Gen. Pond, Past Department Commander Eaton, and others. President R. W. Broughton, in behalf of the village authorities, will extend a welcome to the visitors. Everybody is invited.

With this week's issue we lay down the editorial pen for the summer, expecting to start July 8 for a trip down the St. Lawrence and across Lake Champlain to Saratoga, where the National Educational Association will be in session. Thence we intend going to Albany to take the boat down the Hudson to West Point; after which a trip into New England and down to the seashore will consume the rest of our vacation. We trust to find some spot in our rambles where headaches are never known, and so be able to return refreshed and ready for another winter's work.

The pupils of what is known as the Richmond school have the honor of holding the first commencement exercises ever undertaken in our rural schools, and on Tuesday evening, June 21, three "sweet girl graduates" robed in white stood forth on the beautifully decorated stage and delivered the essays that completed their work. The graduates were Misses Ella Taylor, Lena Mosher, and Mabel Beebe. The teacher is Miss Maggie Reynolds, who has completed the grading of the school so carefully that arrangements have been made whereby a diploma admits to our Union school without examination, and all three of the young ladies intend to avail themselves of this privilege. The grading of our country schools is a step in the right direction, and all progressive teachers like Miss Reynolds deserve much commendation.

### Leading Republican Newspaper of Van Buren County.

We could but smile a little at the assurance with which Editor Rowland sent out his last issue of the Decatur Republican bearing the above heading, basing his assertion on the fact that, in the papers of the preceding week, the Republican chanced to contain 169 inches of original matter, as against 166 inches in the NORTHERNER.

Now, we submit that is hardly fair to take any one issue as a criterion, to say nothing of the fact that the "original" printed matter of that particular number of the Republican was swelled by a compilation of vital statistics taken from the supervisor's reports of the various townships, which occupied 11-5 columns.

We have been doing a little in the measuring line ourselves this week, and find that our last week's issue contained exactly the 169 inches of which the Republican boasts, and was all live matter, too. A few weeks before that we find our columns containing 187 inches, while this week we give our readers 219 inches of original printed matter.

Now, Brother Rowland, if you will just apply the tape line to all the issues since Jan. 1, 1892, we'll consider that a fair test, and do not hesitate to assert that the NORTHERNER would be ahead by at least one-quarter of the whole amount.

### Obituary.

It is a sad task to chronicle the tale of death even when told of him who is gathered unto his fathers as the sheaf of ripened grain is garnered in; but when it must be written of one standing in the dawning of manhood, it is sadder still, and the pen falters over its mournful theme.

On the 9th of July, 1873, Percy, the only son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Buck, first saw the light of day in Hamilton township, removing with his parents to this place when yet a small boy, throughout his brief life being sheltered by his parents from every earthly trial save those inseparable from delicate health.

Hand in hand with his sister Gertrude, who is but sixteen months younger, he had passed through the different phases of school-life until they stood side by side in the class of '92, looking fondly forward to the well-earned honors of Commencement week.

In February an attack of grip had laid the foundation of the heart trouble that soon developed, and Percy was several times compelled to leave school for a short period; still, he could not contemplate the thought of his class graduating without him, and so perseveringly labored on with his oration until it was completed. But when the longed for week arrived, the ambitious boy lay in the grasp of Death, with every breath a struggle, while loving friends and sorrowing class-mates hoped vainly for his recovery. Without one murmur he bore the pain, till on the eve of the graduating exercises all hope faded away, and it was scarcely thought he could survive the night; yet he lingered until Sunday evening and then passed into "the dawning" of that other life where there shall be no more night.

The obsequies occurred this morning at the home, and were largely attended by his young friends, also by Broadhead Post, of which the father of deceased is Commander. Rev. A. C. Jones officiated, and the remains were laid in their last resting place on Prospect Hill by the hands of loving school-mates.

### Business Briefs.

For beautiful designs in lace curtains go to Sellick's. Their stock is the largest and prices the lowest.

Harry Showerman has just received an invoice of new summer goods.

The Wolverine drug store is making a specialty of confectionery. If you "don't see it" when at J. H. Waters & Co., "ask for it," for they certainly "have it."

"The Leaders" call attention to their magnificent stock of shoes and quote remarkably low prices.

Don't forget to read Avery's special quotations this week.